

Lists of Perfin Users

We know of a number of lists of perfin users. These are the ones I can call to mind. Perhaps members know of others which will help our research.

- Sloper's Testimonial 1894; a list signed by clients. Probably taken round by a salesman.
- Allchin's lists 1905/1906; long, slightly different, used as advertising.
- Vallancey's lists; short. Vallancey saw the Sloper records just pre-war.

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- Sloper's History 1939; advertising booklet.
- Braham/Kenny requisition forms. Where are they now?
- Sloper Ledgers; with a little information on Waterlow dies.

Apart from Sloper's records, most were for advertising. Can we find any more adverts or publicity material? What about other firms? Sauven and Everett say they have no records. What about Hurlin?

Increasingly there is a habit of firms nowadays giving old records to local authorities or museums. Are there records of any perfins suppliers amongst the papers? We have never discovered who produced the perfins for the postmasters who sold them in Manchester, Birmingham, Sheffield and Glasgow.